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1 This Appendix and all Addenda, along with the Coalition Labor Agreement (CLA), 2 constitutes the collective bargaining agreement (Agreement) between King County (the County), and 3 Teamsters, Local 117, (Union), the terms of which have been negotiated in good faith, between the 4 County and the Union. This agreement shall be subject to approval by ordinance by the Metropolitan 5 County Council (Council) of King County, Washington. 6 **ARTICLE 1: PURPOSE** 7 1.1 The purpose of this Agreement is to promote the continued improvement of the relationship between the County and its employees through their Union. The Articles of this 8 9 Agreement set forth the wages, hours, and working conditions for the bargaining unit employees. 10 1.2 APPLICATION OF COALITION LABOR AGREEMENT 11 The CLA shall apply to the individual bargaining unit's employees as follows: **1.2.1** The Preamble in its entirety. 12 13 **1.2.2** All superseding and non-superseding provisions, unless otherwise noted in this Appendix or in the CLA. 14 15 1.2.3 The following non-superseding articles do not apply to this bargaining unit: 16 A. Job Posting (CLA Article 18), 17 B. Public Disclosure Request (CLA Article 19), 18 C. TLT Positions (CLA Article 17), 19 D. Union Leave (CLA Article 22), 20 ARTICLE 2: UNION RECOGNITION AND D.R.I.V.E. 21 2.1 Payroll Deduction for Political Contributions - Democratic, Republican, 22 Independent Voter Education (D.R.I.V.E.). The County agrees to deduct voluntary contributions 23 from the paycheck of all employees covered by this Agreement in accordance with the following: 24 **2.1.1** D.R.I.V.E. shall notify the County of the amount of compensation designated by 25 each contributing employee that they voluntarily elect to contribute. The amount will be whole dollar 26 increments and calculated based on the employee's pay period. 27 **2.1.2** The County agrees to deduct from all employees covered by this Agreement 28 their voluntary contributions to D.R.I.V.E. If there are insufficient funds in the pay period to pay the

full amount on behalf of the contributing employee, the County will not withdraw any funds for that pay period.

- **2.1.3** The County shall transmit to D.R.I.V.E. National Headquarters on a monthly basis, in one check, the total amount deducted for each contributing employee along with the name of each employee on whose behalf a deduction is made.
- **2.1.4** The Union will indemnify, defend and hold the County harmless against any claims made and against it and any suit instituted against the County on account of any deduction or lack thereof of D.R.I.V.E contributions.
- 2.2 <u>Notice of Recognition</u> The County will require all new employees hired, transferred, or promoted into a position included in the bargaining unit to sign a form which will inform them of the Union's exclusive recognition. One (1) copy of the form will be retained by the County, one (1) copy will be given to the employee and the original will be sent to the Union. The County will notify the Union when an employee leaves the bargaining unit.

# ARTICLE 3: MANAGEMENT RIGHTS

- **3.1** General The Union recognizes the prerogatives of the County to operate and manage its affairs in all respects in accordance with its responsibilities and powers of authority, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- 3.2 Rights Enumerated Unless modified by this Agreement or the CLA, the County shall have the right to determine staffing levels and work locations; recruit, examine, hire, appoint, promote, train, layoff, and discipline and discharge regular employees for just cause; direct and assign the work; develop and modify classification specifications; allocate positions to those classifications; allocate employees to those positions; determine work shifts and work schedules; schedule and assign overtime work; establish the methods, means and processes by which work is performed; establish reasonable rules; and the right to take whatever actions are necessary in emergencies in order to assure the proper functioning of the work units.
- 3.3 <u>Early Intervention System (EIS)</u> Consistent with the authority retained in Article 3, the County has the right to develop and implement an EIS system consistent with KCSO's policies and procedures.

**3.4** Office of Law Enforcement Oversight - The Union agrees to adopt the King County Police Officers Guild (KCPOG) 2017-2021 agreement on OLEO, attached as Addendum B.

### ARTICLE 4: CLASSIFICATIONS AND RATES OF PAY

- 4.1 <u>Wage Rates</u> The classifications of employees covered by this Agreement and the corresponding rates of pay are set forth under Addendum A which is attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement.
- 4.2 STEP Advancement A regular employee may be hired at Step 1 of the wage range provided under Addendum A covering the classification or above Step 1 as provided under the County's Personnel Guidelines. Upon successful completion of the probationary period for the initial hire into the classification, the employee will move from the initial Step hired to the next wage Step in the wage range, if hired at Step 1. If the employee is hired above Step 1, they shall move to the next Step upon successful completion of the probationary period. Step increases thereafter will be annually, on the date of the first Step movement after the initial hire into the classification until the top Step is reached. An employee working less than full-time will receive Step increases prorated based on the full-time work schedule of the work unit.
- **4.3** <u>Step on Promotion</u> A regular employee who is promoted from one classification to a higher paying classification will be placed into the pay Step providing no less than a five (5%) percent increase in their base hourly rate of pay not to exceed the top pay Step of the higher paying classification.
- **4.4** Temporary Employee Benefits In lieu of paid leaves and paid insured benefits, a temporary employee may be eligible for participation in the applicable Health and Welfare Plan. The temporary employee may also be eligible to receive other compensation provided under King County Code, as amended, in the event the employee exceeds the calendar year working hours threshold.
- **4.5** <u>Temporary/Regular Positions</u> Temporary employees will not be used to supplant regular positions.
- **4.6** <u>Wage Increase</u> All wage rates in effect for the classifications listed in Addendum A will receive increases in accordance with the King County and Union 2022-2024 Coalition Labor Agreement.

- 4.7 <u>Lead Assignment</u> An employee may be temporarily assigned in writing by the manager/designee to perform lead duties. The employee will be paid seven and one-half (7-1/2) percent above their base hourly rate of pay. In the event that the employee works as a lead in excess of thirty (30) continuous days, all compensated hours will be at the higher rate of pay. This provision will be superseded by lead level classifications in the attached Addendum A, if such classifications have a higher wage rate than the employee's base hourly rate of pay. Security Screeners shall be afforded the opportunity to express interest in being appointed to a vacant lead position.
- **4.8** <u>Training Assignment</u>- Management has the right to assign, in writing, an employee to train other employees. When an employee is assigned to train one-on-one for one full day or more, such employee will be paid 5% (five percent) above their base pay for that day or days, under the following conditions:
- **4.8.1** The employee submits a timely request for training pay under this section. Requests should be submitted consistent with department policies and procedures, and if possible should be submitted within the pay period in which the training time is worked;
  - **4.8.2** The training employee must be part of the evaluation process for the trainee, and;
- **4.8.3** Leads, and those whose primary job duty is training, are not eligible for this premium.

### ARTICLE 5: HOURS OF WORK

- **5.1** Standard Five-Eight (5-8) Work Schedule The standard work schedule will consist of five (5) consecutive work days not to exceed eight (8) hours each, exclusive of the meal period and not to exceed forty (40) hours per workweek, Monday through Friday inclusive.
- **5.1.1** Four-Ten (4-10) Work Schedule There may be established a work schedule comprising of four (4) work days of ten (10) consecutive hours each work day exclusive of the meal period and not to exceed forty (40) hours per workweek. An established four-ten (4-10) work schedule will provide for two (2) consecutive days off, one of which will be a Saturday and/or a Sunday and a third day off that may not be consecutive.
- **5.1.2** Additional Work Schedules -By mutual agreement, additional work schedules may be established.

- 5.1.3 Overtime The additional hourly compensation (shift premium) paid to employees assigned to second or third shift will not be paid for overtime hours worked by employees who are assigned to first shift.
- 5.2 <u>Bid for Primary Worksite</u> Employees shall participate in an annual bid in which bids shall be submitted in seniority order. For example, the most senior employee will make the first selection of available assignments which include: KCCH, JRJC, YSC, ITA, Redmond District Court, Shoreline District Court, Bellevue District Court, Auburn District Court, Issaquah District Court, and Burien District Court. Employees will designate a first, second and third choice in their bid submission. For post assignments, the County shall consider seniority, but operational reasons shall be the primary consideration when making post assignments.
- 5.2.1 <u>Altering of Work Schedule</u> No employee will have their work schedule altered for the purpose of avoiding the payment of overtime except when an employee bids for such change as provided in Section 5.2. No employee will be required to work on their scheduled day off in lieu of the employee's scheduled workday. An employee will not receive overtime pay for working on Saturday or Sunday if either one or both of the days are part of their regular work schedule, except as provided for under Article 6.
- 5.3 Permanent Work Schedule and/or Location Change A permanent work schedule or location change occurs when orders are cut to fill a vacant FTE position. The manager/designee may change an employee's work schedule and/or location, but must provide at least a fourteen (14) day notice to the employee, or will otherwise incur a penalty of four (4) hours of pay on each day worked for which timely notice was not given. The day after notification shall be the first day of notice.
- 5.4 <u>Temporary Work Schedule and/or Location Change</u> At least five (5) days advance notice will be given to an employee prior to temporarily changing the employee's work schedule and/or location. "Temporary work schedule and/or location change" shall be defined as at least one work week. A penalty of four (4) hours of pay on each day worked shall be paid for which timely notice was not given. The day after notification shall be the first day of notice.
- **5.5** <u>Temporary Schedules</u> A temporary employee will be hired at Step 3. After two thousand eighty (2080) hours of work as a Security Screener, temporary employees will advance to

the next higher step on the pay range.

- 5.6 Work Schedule Employees will be scheduled to work when needed. The establishment of shifts and workweek schedules is vested solely with the County and may be changed to meet operational needs. The normal shift will be eight (8) hours inclusive of the meal period. Employees will be given fourteen (14) days advance notice of planned shift and/or workweek schedule changes; however, in those circumstances where changes are needed due to unforeseen events, employees may be assigned with minimal or no notice.
- **5.7 Re-Opener for Evening Shift** The County agrees to notify the Union and negotiate the effects if evening or night shifts are established during the term of this Agreement.

# **ARTICLE 6: OVERTIME AND PREMIUMS**

- 6.1 <u>Contractual Daily Overtime</u> Contractual daily overtime shall be paid to employees who work more than their regularly compensated workday, inclusive of alternative work schedules, at the contractual overtime rate in effect at the time the overtime work is performed or forty (40) hours per workweek, or on a holiday recognized in Article 10 of the CLA (in addition to the holiday pay).
- 6.1.1 <u>Contractual Weekly Overtime</u> Contractual weekly overtime shall be paid to employees for all hours compensated in excess of forty (40) hours per Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) workweek at the contractual overtime rate in effect at the time the overtime work is performed or on a holiday recognized in Article 10 of the CLA (in addition to the holiday pay).
- 6.1.2 Contractual Overtime Rate The contractual overtime rate for each overtime hour compensated shall be one and one-half times the combined amount of the employee's hourly base rate of pay, as specified in the Addendum A wage table, plus any applicable pay premiums in effect at the time the overtime is worked that are contractually required to be included, (e.g. Lead pay), when calculating the contractual overtime rate. In the event the FLSA requires a higher rate of pay for any overtime hours worked, the employee shall be paid the higher rate of pay pursuant to the FLSA.
- **6.2** Scheduled overtime work Scheduled overtime work will be offered to full-time regular, then part-time regular employees prior to all other employees except in those instances where regular employees are not readily available. Readily available is defined as the employee not being

on a leave status and is present at work or at home when called at the time the overtime work is being scheduled.

- **6.3** Overtime Authorization All overtime will be authorized in advance by the manager/designee in writing, except in emergencies. Saturday and Sunday work will not be considered overtime when it is a regularly scheduled workday for the employee except as provided for under Article 6.
- 6.4 <u>Eight (8) Hours Between Shifts</u> An employee who is called in to work prior to their next regularly scheduled shift, and who works no less than twelve (12) hours inclusive of overtime without at least eight (8) hours off-duty before the start of their next regularly scheduled shift will, upon request, be relieved from their next regularly scheduled shift. The employee can be directed by the County, for safety reasons, to not work their next regularly scheduled shift. In either of the above instances, the employee will receive overtime pay for all such overtime hours worked but may receive no pay for the regularly scheduled shift from which the employee was relieved.
- 6.5 <u>Compensatory Time Off</u> Compensatory time off will be by written mutual agreement between the employee and the manager/designee. The manager/designee will approve or deny such requests in writing. Employees who accrue compensatory time shall be allowed to carry up to sixty (60) hours of compensatory time at any given time. Compensatory time will accrue at the rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) hours for every overtime hour worked.

If the request for compensatory time will result in an over accrual beyond the sixty (60) hours of compensatory time at any given time, the overtime work will be compensated with overtime pay. A denial of a request to be compensated for overtime hours worked with compensatory time rather than overtime pay is within the sole discretion of management and is not subject to the grievance procedure of this collective bargaining agreement, but may be discussed in Labor Management Meetings.

6.5.1 <u>Compensatory Time in Lieu of Overtime Pay</u> - On each May 31 and November 30, employees with accrued compensatory time will be permitted to request cash out of all, or a portion of such time, to the half hour, if they so desire. Payments will be made as soon as practicable, but no later than the second paycheck following the request. Compensatory time must be

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maximum of 40 hours of accrued compensatory time. Employees will be paid in the pay period that includes December 31 for all accrued compensatory time not carried over into the following year. Compensatory hours that have been carried over must be used within the first quarter of the new calendar year, or will be cashed out in the pay period that includes March 31. 6.6 Call-Back and Call-Back Pay - A "call-back" will be defined as a circumstance where an employee has left the work premises and is subsequently required to report back to work.

used during the calendar year in which it is accrued unless this is not feasible due to work demands.

The employee may then request, and the department director may approve, the carryover of a

- Voluntary sign up for overtime does not constitute a call-back. A minimum of four (4) hours at the contractual overtime rate will be paid for each call-back. Where such overtime exceeds four (4) hours, the actual hours worked will be paid at the overtime rate. 6.7 Travel Call-In and Travel Call-In Premium - A "travel call-in" will be defined as a
- circumstance where an employee is notified of a work location change before they arrive to their primary worksite. A travel call-in premium, equivalent to one hour of the employee's base hourly rate of pay, will be paid to compensate for the time spent while traveling in to the different work location. Where, after arriving at a primary worksite, an employee is assigned to a different work location, the employee shall be on the clock from the time they leave the primary site to travel to the newly assigned site. If they use their personal vehicle, they shall be compensated for mileage. This travel call-in premium does not apply to a schedule change under 5.3 or 5.4.
- **6.8 Shift Extension and Shift Extension Pay** If an employee is called in early or is held over at their primary worksite after their normal shift and the employee is paid continuously for the entire period of time worked, it shall be deemed a "shift extension" and not a call-back or a travel call-in. In the event of a shift extension, the employee will be compensated at the overtime rate for only the hours worked beyond their regular shift.
- **6.9** Emergency Work Premium Emergency work other than the normal scheduled shift or special schedule and/or shift not enumerated in Articles 5 or 6 will be credited as such and will be compensated at the contractual overtime rate. In the event this overtime work is accomplished prior to the normal working hours and the employee subsequently works their regular shift, the regular

shift will be compensated at the employee's base hourly rate of pay inclusive of any applicable pay premiums in effect at the time.

# **ARTICLE 7: HOLIDAYS**

- **7.1** <u>Holidays Observed</u> Comprehensive leave eligible employees covered by this Labor Agreement shall be eligible for holidays with pay as provided in Article 10 of the CLA, in addition to the below provisions.
- **7.1.1** Part-time Employees Comprehensive leave eligible employees who work a part-time work schedule will be granted each of the holidays identified in Article 10 of the CLA with pay prorated to reflect their normally scheduled work week.
- 7.2 Holidays on Scheduled Day Off Whenever a holiday occurs during a full-time comprehensive leave eligible employee's regularly scheduled day off, such employee either will receive compensation for the holidays identified in Article 10 of the CLA or management will designate as an alternative holiday either the regularly scheduled workday before or after the holiday. Management will establish and notify affected employees of an alternative holiday schedule no later than December 15 of the preceding year.
- 7.3 4-10 Employees An employee on a 4-10 work schedule may elect to use two (2) hours of their accrued vacation leave or compensatory time applied in order to be compensated ten (10) hours for each holiday identified within Article 10 of the CLA, or may elect to take the two (2) hours as unpaid leave. As an alternative, employees working a 4-10 work schedule may have their schedule changed by the County to a 5-8 work schedule during weeks which have a holiday.
- 7.4 Holidays Falling on a Weekend For those comprehensive leave eligible employees whose regular work schedule is Monday through Friday, holidays falling on a Saturday will be observed on the preceding Friday and holidays falling on a Sunday will be observed on the following Monday. For those comprehensive leave eligible employees whose regular work schedule requires working on a Saturday and/or a Sunday, holidays falling on these days will be observed on the actual date of the holiday.
- 7.5 <u>Holiday Observed Pay Maximum Accrual</u> Comprehensive leave eligible employees will receive no more than a maximum of eight (8) hours per holiday observed.

**7.6** Holiday Worked Pay - Work performed by a comprehensive leave-eligible employee on a holiday shall be paid at the contractual overtime rate, in addition to the holiday observed pay provided in Article 7.5 above.

# **ARTICLE 8: VACATIONS**

- **8.1** <u>Accrual Schedule</u> Employees covered by this Labor Agreement shall be eligible for vacation leave with pay as provided in Article 35 of the CLA, in addition to the below provisions.
- 8.2 <u>Maximum Accrual</u> Employees shall use vacation leave beyond the maximum accrual amount, as provided in CLA Article 9, Vacation Leave Cap on or before the last pay period that includes December 31 of each year. Failure to use vacation leave beyond the maximum accrual amount will result in forfeiture of the excess vacation unless the commander/designee has approved a carryover of such excess leave in accordance with CLA Article 9.2.
- 8.3 <u>Vacation Eligibility</u> In accordance with the CLA Article 32.5, and the following. Except as provided under a VEBA agreement, a comprehensive leave eligible employee will be paid for accrued vacation leave to their date of separation up to the maximum accrual amount if the employee has successfully completed the first twelve (12) months of County service.
- **8.4** <u>Partial Day Increments</u> Vacation leave may be approved in one-quarter (1/4) hour increments.
- **8.5** <u>Vacation Scheduling</u> Vacation requests submitted before April 1st shall be granted based on seniority. Requests submitted after April 1st shall be granted on a first come, first served basis while maintaining the efficient functioning of the work unit.
- 8.6 Notification While on Paid Vacation or Compensatory Time Off If a comprehensive leave eligible employee is injured or becomes ill while on paid vacation or compensatory time off, in order to receive sick leave for that time, they must notify the manager/designee on the first day of the injury or illness, either by telephone or email, or by letter postmarked the first day of the injury or illness. However, if it is physically impossible to give the required notice on the first day, notice must be sent as soon as possible and must be accompanied by an acceptable showing of reasons for the delay. A doctor's statement or other acceptable proof of the injury or illness, while on vacation or compensatory time off must be presented regardless of the number of days involved.

- **8.7** If a regular or probationary (who has previously achieved career service status) employee resigns from County employment or is laid off and subsequently returns to County employment within two (2) years from such resignation or lay off, as applicable, the employee's prior County service shall be counted in determining the vacation leave accrual rate under CLA Article 32.
- **8.8** Term-Limited Temporary Employees A term-limited temporary employee who, contiguous with their term-limited temporary employment becomes a regular employee shall have their accrued vacation leave accruals carry over with such regular appointment and the accrual rate will be determined based on their date of hire in the term-limited temporary position.

# **ARTICLE 9: SICK LEAVE**

- **9.1** <u>Sick Leave</u> Employees covered by this Labor Agreement shall be eligible for sick leave with pay as provided in Article 31 of the CLA, and as modified below.
- **9.2** <u>Partial Day Increments</u> Sick leave may be approved in the same increments in which the employee is paid.
- **9.3** <u>Proper Administration</u> The manager/designee and employee are responsible for the proper administration of the sick leave benefit.
- **9.4** <u>Term-Limited Temporary Employees</u> A term-limited temporary employee who, contiguous with their term-limited temporary employment becomes a regular employee shall have their accrued sick leave accruals carried over with the regular appointment.

# ARTICLE 10: INSURANCE COMMITTEE AND COVERAGE

- 10.1 <u>Insurance Committee</u> There will be a Joint Labor Management Insurance Committee comprised of representatives from the County and the Labor Union Coalition. The function of the Joint Labor Management Committee will be to review, study and make recommendations relative to existing medical, dental, vision and life insurance programs. The County and the Union will implement any changes in employee insurance benefits which result from any agreement of the Joint Labor Management Committee.
- 10.2 <u>Insurance Coverage While Off Work Due to On-the-Job Injury or Illness</u> The County shall continue to provide medical insurance coverage at no cost for active employees and their dependents for those months they are unable to work due to an on-the-job injury or on-the-job

illness and are receiving no sick leave or vacation benefits. The total number of months of medical insurance coverage provided for under this Section shall not exceed twelve (12) months or the number of months for which the employee continues to receive paid sick leave and/or paid vacation leave benefits, whichever is the greater.

# **ARTICLE 11: SENIORITY - LAYOFF AND RECALL**

- 11.1 <u>Seniority Rights</u> Regular employees will be afforded the right to utilize their seniority as hereinafter defined for the purposes specifically provided for within this Agreement.
- employee status when such employee has completed a probation period equivalent of twelve (12) months worked in a career service position based on a full-time work schedule in a classification covered by this Agreement. Probation is also served when an employee is rehired, demoted or promoted. The probation period may be extended by mutual agreement between the County and the Union. To the extent permitted by law, the probationary period may be extended for the number of work days equal to the number of work days an employee was absent or unable to perform the essential functions of the position in excess of ten (10) scheduled work days during the probationary period. The County will notify the Union of a probation extension. Upon successful completion of the probation period, the employee will be assigned a classification seniority date which will be the date when the employee first commenced probation for that classification. An employee working less than a full-time work schedule will have their probation prorated based on the full-time work schedule for the work unit.
- 11.2.1 An employee who is recalled from layoff within two (2) years, or is rehired within one (1) year will have their classification seniority restored upon successful completion of probation.
- 11.2.2 <u>Resumption of Probationary Period Upon Recall From Layoff</u> In the event a regular employee is laid off during their probationary period and is subsequently recalled to their classification within ninety (90) calendar days from the date of layoff, the employee will be credited with all days previously worked for purposes of satisfying their probationary period and establishing their resultant classification seniority date.

11.3 Seniority Accrual While on Leave Due to Illness or Injury - An employee will
continue to accrue seniority during an absence caused by an industrial injury or illness. An employed
who is unable to work because of a non-work related injury or illness will not accumulate seniority
during an unpaid leave of absence in excess of thirty (30) calendar days. However, if the employee i
on approved FMLA and/or KCFML qualified leave, seniority shall continue to accrue for up to
eighteen (18) workweeks of the qualified unpaid leave period.

- 11.3.1 <u>Seniority Accrual While on Leave Without Pay</u> An employee on an approved unpaid leave of absence of thirty (30) calendar days or longer will not accumulate seniority credits during such absence except as provided under Section 11.2.
- 11.4 <u>Promotion and Transfer</u> When a regular employee is promoted or transferred out of the bargaining unit and is no longer covered under this Agreement, and returns to the bargaining unit within twelve (12) months of the promotion or transfer, the employee will resume the seniority held on the date of the promotion or transfer.

A regular employee who is promoted to another King County position and does not complete the probationary period may elect to return to the former position within six (6) months if the former position is vacant and available. If the position is not available, and as a result the employee separates from the County service, the employee will be entitled to recall rights to the former classification in accordance with Section 11.9, as if the employee had been laid off on the date of separation subject to required background checks.

# 11.5 Seniority will be defined as follows:

- "Classification Seniority" will be defined as regular employee's total length of service within a specific classification covered by this Agreement.
- "Division Seniority" will be defined as a regular employee's total length of service within a division of a department covered by this Agreement.
- "Departmental Seniority" will be defined as a regular employee's total length of service within a department.
- "Bargaining Unit Seniority" for purposes of this Agreement, will be defined as a regular employee's total length of service within a classification(s) covered by this Agreement.

- "County Seniority" will be defined as a regular employee's total length of service with the County in a career service position.
- 11.6 <u>Forfeiture of Seniority</u> Seniority rights will be forfeited for any of the following causes:
  - Discharge for just cause.
  - Promotion or transfer outside of the bargaining unit for one (1) or more years, except in case of layoff in which case it is two (2) years.
- Resignation; provided, however, in the event a regular employee who has successfully completed their probationary period is rehired to a classification covered under this Agreement within twelve (12) months from the date of their termination or resignation, the employee will then be credited with all seniority credits previously existing on their last day worked.
- 11.7 Reduction in Work Force Procedure In the event of a reduction-in-force, the County will lay off the regular employee in the classification affected who has the least Classification Seniority within the division. Prior to any layoff, all term-limited temporary, provisional, temporary and probationary employees in the classification within the affected division of the department will be separated first. Where two (2) or more regular employees have the same Classification Seniority, the more senior employee will be the one who has the most seniority by applying the following seniority tie breakers in this order: 1) Division, 2) Department, 3) Bargaining Unit, 4) County, 5) total number of compensated hours, 6) a random method by mutual agreement.
- 11.8 <u>Bumping Rights</u> A regular employee who becomes displaced due to a reduction-inforce will be permitted to use their Classification Seniority to displace or "bump out" the least senior regular employee occupying the same classification. The employee will also be permitted to use their bargaining unit seniority to displace or "bump out" the least senior regular employee occupying a classification within which the bumping regular employee had previously attained seniority status.
- 11.8.1 <u>Displaced Employees</u> A regular employee who becomes displaced due to another regular employee's exercise of Section 13.8, will also be afforded the right to displace or "bump out" the least senior regular employee in their classification in a similar manner.
  - 11.9 Recall from Layoff A regular employee displaced due to a reduction-in-force will be

recalled to their classification in the inverse order of layoff subject to their ability to perform the work of the position for which the employee is recalled and their ability to pass required background checks. A regular employee will be removed from the recall list after two (2) years from the date of layoff, or the employee is recalled, or the employee fails to accept or report to work after being recalled, or the employee requests to be removed from the recall list.

# **ARTICLE 12: MISCELLANEOUS**

- 12.1 <u>Seniority Lists</u> The County will transmit to the Union a current listing of all employees in Addendum A within thirty (30) days of the Union's request for such a list, not to exceed twice per calendar year. Such list will indicate the name of the employee, job classification, classification seniority date and current work location.
- 12.2 Election to Union Office CLA Provisions in Article 22 regarding Union Leave shall not apply to this bargaining unit. A regular employee elected or appointed to an office in the Union, which requires all of their time will be given an unpaid leave of absence up to one (1) year without pay upon written application. This provision does not apply to appointed shop stewards in the exercise of their duties which fall under Section 12.6. The employee shall not suffer a loss of bargaining unit seniority rights and shall accumulate the same during such leave.
- 12.3 <u>Parking</u> The County agrees to maintain the current practice of providing parking for the lead worker. Employees may request validation of a parking receipt for the downtown County garage. Such requests may be granted on a case by case basis if the Supervisor or designee determines it is in the County's interest to pay for an employee's parking.
- 12.3.1 For the purposes of opening the King County Court House in a timely fashion and allowing the flexibility of a screener to work for a partial day, the KCSO will validate no more than three parking passes a day. These validations will be tracked by the Sergeant or their designee. Validations made beyond the provided three parking passes shall be paid at the expense of the employee. These parking spots will not replace any other parking described in 12.3.
- **12.4** <u>Polygraph</u> Employees under this Agreement are subject to pre-hire polygraph testing pursuant to RCW 49.44.120.
  - 12.5 King County Labor-Management Committee(s) The County and the Union

recognize the importance of a collective bargaining and employee relations climate in the King County Sheriff's Office that encourages cooperative efforts and joint problem-solving amongst all involved parties to better serve the public, increase productivity, reduce waste, improve safety, improve morale, and recruit, train and retain quality employees. In the interest of meeting these challenges, the County and the Union agrees to establish labor-management committee(s) where mutually agreed.

- 12.6 <u>Shop Stewards</u> Shop stewards may conduct representational responsibilities including attending grievance, Weingarten and Loudermill meetings during their regular scheduled shift, without a loss of regular compensation, if excused from work by the employee's manager/designee.
- 12.7 <u>Safety</u> The County, Union and employees agree to comply with all applicable safety laws and regulations. In the event an employee discovers or identifies an unsafe condition the employee will immediately notify the manager/designee. No employee will be disciplined for reporting an unsafe condition. No employee will be required to use unsafe equipment or work in an unsafe environment.
- **12.8** <u>Uniforms</u> The County agrees to provide uniforms to employees. The Uniform includes two (2) pairs of pants, two (2) short-sleeved shirts, two (2) long-sleeved shirts, one (1) pair of boots and one (1) jacket.
- 12.9 Filling of Vacant Positions Prior to the initiation of any open competitive process to fill a vacant bargaining unit position, the County will provide notice of the vacancy to all regular employees within the classification within the bargaining unit. A copy of the vacancy will be posted on the workplace bulletin board. Any regular employee in the bargaining unit holding a position within the same classification as that of the vacant position will be given the opportunity to apply for the position. The appointment will be made to the applicant who the County determines has the knowledge, skills and ability to fill the position. Where the knowledge, skills and ability of the applicants are equal, the position will be awarded on the basis of classification seniority. This provision is not applicable to employees who hold a different employment status (i.e., part-time and full-time) than that of the vacant position in the classification.
  - 12.10 <u>Use of Term-Limited Temporary Employees</u> The County will notify the Union

when it hires a term-limited temporary employee. The notice will include the classification, division hired, basis for the hire and expected length of employment. The County will meet with the Union, if requested, within fourteen (14) days following such request.

- Agreement upon request of the Union, solely for the purpose of negotiating procedures and policies for employees covered by this Agreement to participate in a Union Pension Trust. The parties understand and agree that the Union will conduct a membership vote to determine whether the membership will participate in a Pension Trust, and that if a majority of members represented by the Union signatory to this Agreement vote in favor of participation, all employees represented by the Union must participate. The parties further agree that participation in a Pension Trust shall not result in an increase of pay for any employees covered by this Agreement.
- **12.12** On-Call Reopener At the request of the County, the parties mutually agree to reopen the agreement for the purposes of bargaining on-call security screeners.

# **ARTICLE 13: GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE**

- 13.1 <u>Purpose</u> Is pursuant to Article 26 and 27 of the CLA regarding Grievance Procedure and Discipline and Sunset Clause. The County and the Union recognize the importance and desirability of settling grievances promptly and fairly in the interest of continued good employee relations and morale. In furtherance of this objective, the County and the Union will extend every effort to settle grievances at the lowest possible level of supervision.
- **13.2** <u>No Discrimination</u> Employees will be unimpeded and free from restraint, interference, coercion, discrimination or reprisal in seeking adjudication of their grievances.
- 13.3 <u>Access to Grievance Procedure</u> Employees, whether Union members or not, will have no independent unilateral privilege or right to invoke the grievance procedure; however, an employee's complaint may be presented to their supervisor. If the issue is not resolved, it may be referred to STEP 1.
- **13.4** Performance Improvement Plan (PIP) Is pursuant to Article 27 of the CLA and the following. The purpose of a PIP is to provide a structured environment to enhance communication and coaching between supervision and the employee with the goal of improved employee

performance. The performance or conduct that gave rise to the PIP may be the subject of review and corrective action, however, the PIP in and of itself will not be considered as a level of discipline.

- 13.5 <u>Resolutions are Final and Binding</u> The disposition and/or settlement of any grievance or other matter in dispute as determined by and between the Union and the County will be final and binding upon all parties to the dispute.
- 13.6 <u>Automatic Vehicle Location System Use Policy</u> The "Automatic Vehicle Location System Use Policy", as amended, shall apply to all employees with the following modifications or additions:
- **13.6.1.** AVL data will not constitute the sole documentation used to determine discipline imposed on an employee.
- 13.6.2. Any real time viewing of data is permissible only for operational reasons and will not be used for surveillance of employees, whether to monitor performance or to justify implementation of disciplinary actions. Furthermore, should the County engage in a process whereby AVL data is utilized beyond the scope of traditional operational monitoring, i.e., to track a specific route, vehicle and/or employee, then all relevant employees shall be so notified in advance.
- 13.6.3. The County will not access such data for the purpose of disciplinary action unless there is a good faith reason to suspect that an employee has committed an offense that could result in discipline. The County agrees not to request or view AVL data, absent any other evidence, for the purpose of monitoring an employee who may have committed a violation of some rule or policy that could result in disciplinary action, e.g., no fishing expeditions.
- 13.6.4. If the County is aware of AVL data that may pertain to an investigation, the employee who is subject to the investigation and/or the Union will have the right to view the AVL data before an investigatory interview is conducted by the employee's department/division. If the County refuses to show the employee and the Union the AVL data, upon request before conducting an investigatory interview then the AVL data shall not be used as evidence in any manner related to discipline.
- **13.6.5.** The County agrees to comply with requests from the employee and/or the Union for access to AVL data, where discipline or the potential to issue discipline exists.

**13.6.6.** All Public Disclosure Requests related to AVL data will be forwarded to public disclosure officials of the department/division responsible for the particular vehicle, or that employs the Union employee, for response pursuant to the department's policies and procedures.

# ARTICLE 14: WORK STOPPAGES AND EMPLOYER PROTECTION

- 14.1 Work Stoppages The County, the Council, and the Union agree that the public interest requires efficient and uninterrupted performance of all King County Sheriff's Office services and to this end pledge their best efforts to avoid or eliminate any conduct contrary to this objective.

  Specifically, the Unions will not cause or condone any work stoppage, including any strike, slowdown, or refusal to perform any customarily assigned duties, sick leave absence which is not bona fide, or other interference with King County Sheriff's Office functions by employees under this Agreement and should same occur, the involved Union will take appropriate steps to end such interference. Any concerted action by any employee in any bargaining unit will be deemed a work stoppage if any of the afore-referenced activities have occurred contrary to the provisions of this Agreement. Being absent without authorized leave will be considered as an automatic resignation. Such a resignation may be rescinded by the department head if the employee presents satisfactory reasons for their absence within three (3) calendar days of the date his/her automatic resignation became effective.
- 14.2 <u>Employer Protection</u> Upon notification in writing by the King County Sheriff's Office to the Union that any of its represented employees are engaged in a work stoppage, the Union will immediately, in writing, order such employees to immediately cease engaging such work stoppage and provide the King County Sheriff's Office with a copy of such order. In addition, if requested by the King County, Sheriff's Office a responsible official of the Union will publicly order such represented employees to cease engaging in such work stoppage.
- 14.3 <u>Discipline</u> Any employee participating in such work stoppage or in other ways committing an act prohibited in this Article will be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the King County Sheriff's Office's work rules up to and including discharge, suspension, or other disciplinary action as may be deemed applicable to such employee.

For International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local 117: DocuSigned by: Duta -7AD5B391B59D41E John Scearcy Secretary-Treasurer For King County: DocuSigned by: Lacey O'Connell Lacey O'Connell, Labor Relations Negotiator Senior Office of Labor Relations, Executive Office 

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# ADDENDUM A

# International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local No. 117 WAGES

Job Class Code	PeopleSoft Job Code	Classification Title	Pay Range	Steps *
5220000	522002	Security Screener	34	1-2-3-4-5
5220600	522102	Security Screener - Lead	37	1-2-3-4-5

<sup>\*</sup> These Steps equate to Steps 2-4-6-8-10 on the King County "Squared" Pay Schedule

1 ADDENDUM B 2 AGREEMENT BETWEEN KING COUNTY AND KING COUNTY POLICE OFFICERS 3 GUILD REPRESENTING COMMISSIONED DEPUTIES AND SERGEANTS OFFICE OF 4 LAW ENFORCEMENT OVERSIGHT OLEO AGREEMENT 2017-2021 5 6 Section 22.1. The King County Office of Law Enforcement Oversight (OLEO) provides 7 independent oversight of all aspects of KCSO's internal administrative system, to enhance accountability and community trust. 8 9 Section 22.2. OLEO may be actively involved in all KCSO internal administrative 10 investigation by having: a) Real-time access to administrative investigative information, through the use of 11 I/APro, or successor system. 12 13 b) The ability to make recommendations regarding intake classifications as outlined in Section 22.8. 14 15 c) The ability to participate in all administrative interviews as outlined in Section 22.9. 16 17 d) The ability to make suggestions regarding the need for additional investigation as outlined in Section 22.11. 18 19 e) The ability to review and make suggestions to KCSO regarding KCSO findings, 20 excluding disciplinary decisions, on complaint investigations as outlined in Section 22.14. 21 f) The ability to attend scenes of Critical Incidents as outlined in Section 22.4. 22 g) The ability to attend review boards as outlined in Section 22.5 23 h) The ability to conduct independent investigations as outlined in Section 22.18. 24 i) The ability to follow up when KCSO declines to conduct additional investigations 25 as outlined in Section 22.20. In addition, OLEO may monitor any complaint filed with its office or KCSO, and 26 administrative investigations of Critical Incidents, Serious Force Incident, and Serious Officer 27 28 Involved Events as defined under the General Operating Manual (GOM).

Section 22.3. OLEO may receive complaints from any party, including, without limitation, members of the public or employees of KCSO. OLEO will forward all complaints to the Internal Investigations Unit (IIU) within five (5) business days for processing and, when appropriate, investigation. Except as provided under Section 22.18 OLEO will not conduct independent disciplinary investigations but may participate in interviews as provided herein.

Section 22.4. The OLEO director/designee shall be timely notified of and have the opportunity to attend scenes of Critical Incidents requiring callout of the Criminal Investigations Divisions (CID) and/or the Administrative Review Team (ART) for employee involved events. OLEO staff shall be stationed at the Command Post or closer to the scene than the Command Post if approved and accompanied by the Sheriff/designee, and interact only with the administrative team liaison with CID. After the scene is secured, a representative from CID will escort the OLEO representative through the scene.

**Section 22.5.** The OLEO director/designee may attend Use of Force Review Boards and Department-level Driving Review Boards as a non-voting member. The OLEO director/designee may also attend a "lessoned learned" ART reviews so long as a Guild representative is allowed to attend.

Section 22.6. In addition to complaints received by OLEO, KCSO will provide OLEO access to all other complaints within five (5) business days. The KCSO will be the custodian for all KCSO investigative records. OLEO will not print or download KCSO complaints or investigative records of any kind. If the Sheriff determines that a member of OLEO has violated the terms of access to investigative records, the Sheriff shall have the right to deny the OLEO member further access to investigative records.

Section 22.7. OLEO will have the opportunity to make a recommendation for mediation to the Sheriff, prior to investigation. In the event KCSO, the complainant and the employee all agree to mediation, that process will be utilized rather than sending the matter on for investigation. Assuming the employee participates in good faith during the mediation process, the employee will not be subject to discipline and the complaint will be administratively dismissed. Good faith means that the employee listens and considers the issues raised by the complainant, and acts and responds

appropriately. Agreement with either the complainant or the mediator is not a requirement of good faith. In the event an agreement to mediate is reached and the complainant thereafter refuses to participate, the employee will be considered to have participated in good faith. Moreover, any records related to mediation (other than a mediation settlement agreement) shall not be admissible in any proceeding except to enforce this section.

Section 22.8. Once any complaint is received by the IIU, it shall be submitted to the chain of command for review pursuant to the GOM. OLEO will be provided an opportunity to review KCSO's proposed intake classification or changed classification and either agree or recommend a change to the intake classification before the complaint is investigated, not investigated and closed, or sent to a supervisor for further action. KCSO shall make the final determination of the intake classification. When either the Sheriff or her/his designee determines that the allegations warrant investigation, such investigation shall be approved, and IIU will initiate the investigative process.

Section 22.9. Prior to an interview, KCSO will timely notify OLEO of all administrative investigation interviews on all complaints, Critical Incidents, Serious Force Incidents, and Serious Officer Involved Events. A single OLEO representative may attend and observe interviews, and will be given the opportunity to ask questions that are within the scope of permissible investigative questioning and at such time that it does not interfere with the questioning by KCSO. OLEO will not participate in criminal investigations in any way, and will not be notified of any part of the criminal investigation until the criminal investigation is concluded. At that point, the file shall be provided to OLEO.

**Section 22.10.** Upon completion of internal administrative investigations, OLEO will certify in writing, whether the investigation was thorough and objective by the standards of OLEO before KCSO concludes its finding process.

**Section 22.11.** As a part of OLEO's active involvement OLEO may believe that additional investigation is needed on issues they deem material to the outcome. If there is any dispute between the assigned investigator(s) and the OLEO regarding the necessity, practicality or materiality of the requested additional investigation, the IIU Commander will determine whether additional investigation will be undertaken. If OLEO is not satisfied with the determination of the IIU

Commander, the matter will be submitted to the Sheriff, for a determination with OLEO providing the reason(s) for its recommended additional investigation. After completion of the additional investigation, or the conclusion that no further investigation will be undertaken, OLEO will then certify according to the standards of OLEO, whether the internal investigation was thorough and objective before KCSO concludes its findings process. This determination will be made within ten (10) business days. Once the above finding is entered in the investigation, OLEO will not be involved further in the processing of that case except as provided herein.

**Section 22.12.** All final disciplinary decisions will be made by the Sheriff.

**Section 22.13.** OLEO will be provided a copy of any letter or other notification to an employee informing them of actual discipline imposed as a result of an administrative investigation or the Notice of Finding in the event that the complaint is not sustained.

Section 22.14. OLEO will be notified by KCSO, within five (5) business days of case completion, of all internal administrative investigations for the OLEO's review and recommendation on KCSO's findings before KCSO notifies the employee. OLEO shall provide any recommendations on these findings to KCSO within five (5) days of notice of case completion. OLEO shall not make any disciplinary recommendations regarding any internal administrative investigation. OLEO in addition to KCSO's written Notice of Finding letter to the complainant, may send a closing letter to the complainant. The letter may summarize the case findings within the context of this Article.

Section 22.15. Any complaining party who is not satisfied with the findings of KCSO concerning their complaint may contact OLEO to discuss the matter further. However, unless persuasive and probative new information is provided, the investigation will remain closed. In accordance with established arbitral case law, employees may not be subject to discipline twice for the same incident. In the event the investigation is re-opened and discipline imposed, the appropriate burden of establishing compliance with this section rests with the County in any subsequent challenge to the discipline. Moreover, this section is subject to the 180-day limitation contained in Section 19.10 of this Agreement.

**Section 22.16.** In addition to the investigative process, OLEO will have unimpeded access to all complaint and investigative files for auditing and reporting purposes. OLEO is prohibited at all

times, including but not limited to, when issuing written or oral reports, from disclosing the name(s) or other identifying information of employees or other individuals involved in incidents or investigations except OLEO may use the names of any individuals who were subjects of employee-involved events if already made public by KCSO. Nothing herein shall limit OLEO from acknowledging, without analysis or opinion, that it is monitoring an investigation and information already made public by KCSO.

- a) OLEO is prohibited from providing information related to pending KCSO investigations to any third parties, except the Sheriff/designee. OLEO shall immediately forward to KCSO any requests, demands or court orders for documents. KCSO's Public Disclosure Unit will review and make determinations on any Public Disclosure requests for KCSO investigative materials. If OLEO is ordered by a court to produce information related to KCSO investigative materials, it shall produce materials as required in consultation with the King County Prosecuting Attorney's Office.
- **b)** OLEO may make statistical observations regarding the disciplinary results of sustained internal investigations but shall not take issue with discipline imposed by the Sheriff in specific cases.
- Section 22.17. OLEO may recommend changes to rules, general orders, policies and procedures for the review and/or audit of the complaint resolution process, and review and recommend changes in KCSO policies to improve the quality of police investigations and practices in KCSO. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver of the Guild's right to require the County to engage in collective bargaining as authorized by law.
- **Section 22.18.** OLEO may administratively investigate complaints involving Critical Incidents, Serious Force Incidents, Serious Officer Involved Events, and Serious Misconduct as provided herein:
  - a) If KCSO does not conduct an internal administrative investigation.
- **b**) OLEO may conduct investigations independent of KCSO IIU on complaints made against non-represented KCSO employees.
  - c) OLEO shall notify KCSO at least five (5) business days before commencing an

investigation.

- **d)** At the completion of its investigation, OLEO will provide its report of investigation only to the Sheriff; except as required by law.
- e) After consultation with the Sheriff, OLEO may disclose, without analysis or opinion, audio or video evidence from an investigation being conducted by OLEO that will not compromise any pending investigation.
  - f) Administrative investigations conducted by OLEO are subject to Article 19.
     Section 22.19.
- a) Except as provided herein, nothing in this Article shall allow the Sheriff to assign bargaining unit work to OLEO.
- b) Nothing in this Article shall preclude OLEO from conducting an inquiry into a "concern" about a system, training, procedure or policy that is related to the work of OLEO and is not the subject of a "complaint" as defined in KCC 2.75.010 (C) and (D). The review of a concern shall be made for the purpose of potential recommendations to the Sheriff related to the systems, training, procedures and policies of the KCSO. Such review shall not be directly related to an allegation of potential or specific employee misconduct.
- Section 22.20. After the administrative investigation has been closed and any discipline has been adjudicated, OLEO may follow-up on any requested additional investigation that was made pursuant to Section 22.11 and was rejected by the KCSO. As part of any such follow-up, OLEO will not utilize an expert who creates a report criticizing an expert's opinion that was relied upon by the KCSO in reaching its conclusion for that investigation. In the event OLEO learns information that could be useful to the Sheriff for purposes of potential changes to KCSO policies, practices, systems and procedures, OLEO may provide that information to the Sheriff as part of a report concerning such changes. After providing the report to the Sheriff, OLEO may release the report to others. The report is subject to the limitations in Section 22.16. This information cannot be used to reopen an investigation.
- **Section 22.21**. OLEO may not issue a subpoena to an employee of KCSO, to their family members, or to seek their personal and confidential records. However, if the County Charter is

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